

## LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

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### H.R. 1

Jan. 3, 1991

MR. BROOKS, ET AL.

To amend the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to restore and strengthen civil rights laws that ban discrimination in employment, and for other purposes. *"Civil Rights Act of 1991"*.

Jan. 3, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committees on Education and Labor and the Judiciary.

Feb. 7, 28, Mar. 7, 1991—Hearings by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights. (Serial No. 123).

Mar. 12, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Mar. 19, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Apr. 24, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Education and Labor. (H.Rept. 102-40, part 1).

May 17, 1991—Reported to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-40, part 2).

June 4, 1991—Considered by the House.

June 5, 1991—Passed the House, amended. (273 yeas; 158 nays). (Short title amended).

July 8, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Superseded by S. 1745.

### H.R. 6

Jan. 3, 1991

MR. GONZALEZ

To reform the deposit insurance system to enforce the congressionally established limits on the amounts of deposit insurance, and for other purposes. *"Financial Institutions Safety and Consumer Choice Act of 1991"*.

Jan. 3, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

July 23, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-157, part 1).

July 23, 1991—Sequentially referred to the Committees on Agriculture, Energy and Commerce, the Judiciary, and Ways and Means until Sept. 27, 1991.

July 30, 1991—Held for full Committee action.

Sept. 17, 1991—Related hearing by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law. (Serial No. 29).

Sept. 26, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Ways and Means. (H.Rept. 102-157, part 2).

Sept. 26, 1991—Sequential referral extended until October 4, 1991.

Oct. 3, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Oct. 4, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Agriculture. (H.Rept. 102-157, part 3).

Oct. 4, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. (H.Rept. 102-157, part 4).

Oct. 4, 1991—Sequential referral extended until October 7, 1991.

Oct. 7, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-157, part 5).

Oct. 7, 1991—Supplemental report filed in the House by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. (H.Rept. 102-157, part 6).

Oct. 30, 31, Nov. 1, 1991—Considered by the House.

Nov. 4, 1991—Failed passage by the House. (89 yeas; 324 nays; 2 "present").

Nov. 14, 1991—Related bill, H.R. 2094, failed passage by the House. (191 yeas; 227 nays; 2 "present").

Superseded by S. 543.

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## H.R. 7

Jan. 3, 1991

MR. FEIGHAN, ET AL.

To amend title 18, United States Code, to require a waiting period before the purchase of a handgun. "*Brady Handgun Violence Prevention Act*".

Mar. 21, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice. (Serial No. 4).

Apr. 10, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Apr. 23, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

May 2, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-47).

May 8, 1991—Passed the House, as amended. (239 ayes; 186 noes).

June 3, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Provisions included in H.R. 3371 as passed by the House.

## H.R. 9

Jan. 3, 1991

MR. BROOKS, ET AL.

To modify the antitrust exemption applicable to the business of insurance. "*Insurance Competitive Pricing Act of 1991*".

June 13, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law. (Serial No. 17).

Nov. 14, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Oct. 6, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-1036).

## H.R. 11

Jan. 3, 1991

MR. ROSTENKOWSKI, ET AL.

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax incentives for the establishment of tax enterprise zones, and for other purposes. "*Revenue Act of 1992*".

Jan. 3, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

June 30, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-631).

July 2, 1992—Passed the House, amended. (356 yeas; 55 nays).

July 21, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

Aug. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate. (No written report).

Aug. 11, 12, 1992—Considered by the Senate.

Sept. 23, 24, 25, 26, 1992—Considered by the Senate.

Sept. 29, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended. (70 yeas; 29 nays).

Sept. 29, 1992—The Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.

Sept. 30, 1992—The House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees.

Oct. 2, 1992—The House appointed additional conferees (including from the Committee on the Judiciary).

Oct. 5, 1992—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-1034).

Oct. 6, 1992—The House agreed to the conference report. (208 yeas; 202 nays).

Oct. 6, 1992—The Senate considered the conference report.

Oct. 8, 1992—The Senate agreed to the conference report. (67 yeas; 22 nays).

Nov. 5, 1992—Pocket vetoed by the President.

## H.R. 25

Jan. 3, 1991

MR. EDWARDS OF CALIFORNIA, ET AL.

To protect the reproductive rights of women. "*Freedom of Choice Act of 1991*".

Mar. 4, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights. (Serial No. 124).

June 18, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

June 30, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

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**H.R. 26**

**Jan. 3, 1991**

MR. ANNUNZIO, ET AL.

To require the Federal depository institution regulatory agencies to take additional enforcement actions against depository institutions engaging in money laundering, and for other purposes. "*Money Laundering Enforcement Amendments of 1991*".

Jan. 3, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

Mar. 20, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-28, part 1).

Mar. 20, 1991—Sequentially referred to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and the Judiciary until May 23, 1991.

May 23, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Foreign Affairs. (H.Rept. 102-28, part 2).

May 23, 1991—Committee on the Judiciary discharged.

June 10, 1991—Considered by the House.

June 11, 1991—Passed the House, amended. (406 yeas).

June 13, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

Nov. 23, 1991—Senate Committee discharged.

Nov. 23, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

See also H.R. 6048.

**H.R. 74**

**Jan. 3, 1991**

MR. BRYANT, ET AL.

To prohibit sports gambling under State law. "*Professional and Amateur Sports Protection Act*".

Sept. 12, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law. (Serial No. 26).

Sept. 17, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Superseded by H.R. 3371 and S. 474.

**H.R. 191**

**Jan. 3, 1991**

MRS. MORELLA, ET AL. (BY REQUEST)

To amend the Stevenson-Wydler Technology Innovation Act of 1980 to enhance technology transfer for works prepared under certain cooperative research and development agreements. "*Technology Transfer Improvements Act of 1991*".

Jan. 3, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology and the Judiciary.

Dec. 6, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. (H.Rept. 102-415, part 1).

May 6, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 117).

**H.R. 325**

**Jan. 3, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS, ET AL.

To amend the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 with respect to the prohibition on acceptance of honoraria.

Jan. 3, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committees on House Administration, the Judiciary, Post Office and Civil Service, and Armed Services.

Feb. 7, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 1).

Feb. 27, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Sept. 12, 1991—Further Subcommittee hearing. (Serial No. 20).

Sept. 12, 1991—Subcommittee reconsideration. Clean bill ordered reported to the full Committee.

Superseded by H.R. 3341.

**H.R. 525**

**Jan. 14, 1991**

MS. MOLINARI, ET AL.

To amend the Federal charter for the Boys' Clubs of America to reflect the change of the name of the organization to the Boys & Girls Clubs of America.

Mar. 7, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 2).

Apr. 25, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

June 18, 1991—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Aug. 2, 1991—Reported to the House, amended. (H.Rept. 102-197).

Nov. 18, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Nov. 18, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Nov. 26, 1991—Senate Committee discharged.

Nov. 26, 1991—Passed the Senate.

Dec. 10, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-199.

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**H.R. 776**

**Feb. 4, 1991**

MR. SHARP, ET AL.

To provide for improved energy efficiency. "*Comprehensive National Energy Policy Act*".

Feb. 4, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Mar. 30, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-474, part 1).

Mar. 30, 1992—Sequentially referred to the Committees on Foreign Affairs; Government Operations; the Judiciary; Interior and Insular Affairs; Merchant Marine and Fisheries; Public Works and Transportation; Science, Space, and Technology; and Ways and Means until May 1, 1992.

Apr. 28, 1992—Sequentially referred to the Committee on Agriculture until May 1, 1992.

Apr. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

May 1, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. (H.Rept. 102-474, part 2).

May 1, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Public Works and Transportation. (H.Rept. 102-474, part 3).

May 1, 1992—Sequential referral extended until May 5, 1992.

May 4, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Foreign Affairs. (H.Rept. 102-474, part 4).

May 5, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Government Operations. (H.Rept. 102-474, part 5).

May 5, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Ways and Means. (H.Rept. 102-474, part 6).

May 5, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-474, part 7).

May 5, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs. (H.Rept. 102-474, part 8).

May 5, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries. (H.Rept. 102-474, part 9).

May 5, 1992—Committee on Agriculture discharged.

May 20, 21, 1992—Considered by the House.

May 27, 1992—Passed the House, amended. (381 ayes; 37 noes).

June 4, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

June 18, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate. (No written report).

July 29, 1992—Considered by the Senate.

July 30, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended. (93 yeas; 3 nays).

July 30, 1992—The Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.

Aug. 12, 1992—The House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees with instructions.

Sept. 9, 1992—The House modified the conferee appointments.

Sept. 25, 1992—The Senate modified the conferee appointments.

Sept. 29, 1992—The House modified the conferee appointments.

Oct. 5, 1992—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-1018).

Oct. 5, 1992—The House agreed to the conference report. (363 yeas; 60 nays).

Oct. 5, 1992—The Senate considered the conference report.

Oct. 8, 1992—The Senate agreed to the conference report.

Oct. 24, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-486.

**H.R. 829**

**Feb. 5, 1991**

MR. SLAUGHTER OF VIRGINIA, ET AL.

To amend title 28, United States Code, to make changes in the composition of the Eastern and Western Districts of Virginia.

Oct. 1, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration.

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-370).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House.

Nov. 26, 1991—Passed the Senate.

Dec. 10, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-200.

**H.R. 991**

**Feb. 20, 1991**

MR. CARPER, ET AL.

To extend the expiration date of the Defense Production Act of 1950, and for other purposes. "*Defense Production Act Extension and Amendments of 1991*".

Feb. 20, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

Mar. 4, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-7).

Mar. 6, 1991—Passed the House, as amended. (416 yeas).

Mar. 7, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended (language of S. 468 as passed by the Senate).

Mar. 21, 1991—The House requested a conference and appointed conferees (including from the Committee on the Judiciary).

June 6, 1991—The Senate agreed to a conference and appointed conferees.

Aug. 2, 1991—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-186).

Aug. 2, 1991—The House agreed to the conference report.

Aug. 2, 1991—The Senate agreed to the conference report.

Aug. 17, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-99.

**H.R. 1206**

**Feb. 28, 1991**

MR. SCHIFF, ET AL.

To confer jurisdiction on the United States Claims Court with respect to land claims of Pueblo of Isleta Indian Tribe.

Apr. 8, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 111).

June 24, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

July 28, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Aug. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-777).

Aug. 4, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Aug. 5, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

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## H.R. 1241

Mar. 5, 1991

MR. HYDE, ET AL.

To impose a criminal penalty for flight to avoid payment of arrearages in child support.

Jan. 15, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice. (Serial No. 40).

Apr. 9, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

July 1, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Aug. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-771).

Aug. 4, 1992—Passed the House, as amended. (Title amended).

Aug. 6, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary. Superseded by S. 1002.

## H.R. 1252

Mar. 5, 1991

MRS. MORELLA, ET AL.

To authorize the State Justice Institute to analyze and disseminate information regarding the admissibility and quality of testimony of witnesses with expertise relating to battered women, and to develop and disseminate training materials to increase the use of such experts to provide testimony in criminal trials of battered women, particularly in cases involving indigent women. "*Battered Women's Testimony Act of 1991*".

Aug. 6, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 120).

Sept. 18, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-991).

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Oct. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 27, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-527.

## H.R. 1253

Mar. 5, 1991

MRS. MORELLA, ET AL.

To amend the State Justice Institute Act of 1984 to carry out research, and develop judicial training curricula, relating to child custody litigation.

Aug. 6, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 120).

Sept. 18, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-992).

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House.

Oct. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 27, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-528.

## H.R. 1415

Mar. 13, 1991

MR. BERMAN (BY REQUEST)

To authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1992 and 1993 for the Department of State, and for other purposes. "*Foreign Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1992 and 1993*".

Mar. 13, 1991—Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

May 8, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-53).

May 15, 1991—Passed the House, amended.

May 20, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

July 29, 1991—Senate Committee discharged.

July 29, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended [language of S. 1433 (S.Rept. 102-98) as amended by the Senate]. (86 days; 11 days).

July 29, 1991—Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.

Sept. 12, 1991—The House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees, (including from the Committee on the Judiciary).

Sept. 24, 1991—The Senate appointed additional conferees.

Oct. 3, 1991—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-238).

Oct. 4, 1991—The Senate agreed to the conference report.

Oct. 8, 1991—The House agreed to the conference report.

Oct. 28, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-138.

## H.R. 1470

Mar. 19, 1991

MR. BROOKS

To establish evidentiary standards for Federal civil antitrust claims based on resale price fixing. "*Price Fixing Prevention Act of 1991*".

June 19, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law.

June 25, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Oct. 3, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-237).

Oct. 10, 1991—Passed the House, amended.

Superseded by S. 429.

## H.R. 1502

Mar. 20, 1991

MRS. BOXER, ET AL.

To combat violence and crimes against women on the streets and in homes. "*Violence Against Women Act of 1991*".

Mar. 20, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary, Public Works and Transportation, Interior and Insular Affairs, Energy and Commerce, and Education and Labor.

Sept. 23, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

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**H.R. 1537**

**Mar. 20, 1991**

MR. BROOKS

To revise, codify, and enact without substantive change certain general and permanent laws, related to transportation, as subtitles II, III, and V-X of title 49, United States Code, "Transportation", and to make other technical improvements in the Code.

Oct. 29, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Oct. 30, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-280).

Nov. 5, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Nov. 12, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Sept. 18, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate. (S.Rept. 102-410).

Oct. 8, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended.

**H.R. 1604**

**Mar. 22, 1991**

MR. BROOKS, ET AL.

To amend the National Cooperative Research Act of 1984 to reduce the liability for joint ventures entered into for the purpose of producing a product, process, or service. "*National Cooperative Production Amendments of 1991*".

June 19, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law.

June 25, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Oct. 1, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-972).

**H.R. 1612**

**Mar. 22, 1991**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To amend section 108 of title 17, United States Code, to eliminate the library reproduction reporting requirement.

May 1, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration.

June 18, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Aug. 2, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-196).

Nov. 18, 1991—Passed the House.

Nov. 18, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Superseded by S. 756.

**H.R. 1717**

**Apr. 11, 1991**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To amend chapter 96 (relating to racketeer influenced and corrupt organizations) of title 18, United States Code. "*RICO Amendments Act of 1991*".

Apr. 25, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 50).

May 2, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

July 30, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Nov. 13, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-312).

**H.R. 1760**

**Apr. 15, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS

To amend the AMVETS charter.

July 10, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

July 10, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Oct. 29, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Nov. 18, 1991—Committee discharged.

Nov. 18, 1991—Passed the House.

Nov. 18, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

**H.R. 1998**

**Apr. 23, 1991**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To amend chapter 9 of title 17, United States Code, regarding protection extended to semiconductor chip products of foreign entities. "*Semiconductor International Protection Extension Act of 1991*".

May 1, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 51).

May 1, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

June 18, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

June 21, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-122).

June 25, 1991—Passed the House, amended (technical).

Superseded by S. 909.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 2039**

**Apr. 24, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS

To authorize appropriations for the Legal Services Corporation, and for other purposes. "*Legal Services Reauthorization Act of 1991*".

Apr. 25, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

June 25, 1991—Full Committee mark-up.

July 16, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Mar. 31, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-476).

Apr. 2, May 6, 1992—Considered by the House.

May 12, 1992—Passed the House, amended. (253 ayes; 154 noes; 1 "present").

June 16, 1992—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

**H.R. 2092**

**Apr. 24, 1991**

MR. YATRON, ET AL.

To carry out obligations of the United States under the United Nations Charter and other international agreements pertaining to the protection of human rights by establishing a civil action for recovery of damages from an individual who engages in torture or extrajudicial killing. "*Torture Victim Protection Act of 1991*".

Apr. 24, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

July 29, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Sept. 12, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-367, part 1).

Nov. 25, 1991—Committee on Foreign Affairs discharged.

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Jan. 21, 1992—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Mar. 3, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Mar. 12, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-256.

**H.R. 2100**

**Apr. 25, 1991**

MR. ASPIN, ET AL.

To authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1992 and 1993 for military functions of the Department of Defense and to prescribe military personnel levels for fiscal years 1992 and 1993, and for other purposes. "*National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Years 1992 and 1993*".

Apr. 25, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Armed Services.

May 13, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-60).

May 22, 1991—Passed the House, amended. (268 yeas; 161 nays). (Title amended).

June 4, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on Armed Services.

Aug. 2, 1991—Senate Committee discharged.

Aug. 2, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended [language of S. 1507 (S.Rept. 102-113) as amended by the Senate].

Aug. 2, 1991—The Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.

Sept. 16, 1991—The House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees (including from the Committee on the Judiciary).

Oct. 2, 1991—The House modified the appointment of conferees.

Nov. 13, 1991—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-311).

Nov. 18, 1991—The House agreed to the conference report. (329 yeas; 82 nays).

Nov. 21, 1991—The Senate considered the conference report.

Nov. 22, 1991—The Senate agreed to the conference report. (79 yeas; 15 nays).

Dec. 5, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-190.

**H.R. 2194**

**May 2, 1991**

MR. ECKART, ET AL.

To amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the application of certain requirements and sanctions to Federal facilities. "*Federal Facilities Compliance Act of 1991*".

May 2, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

June 13, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-111).

June 24, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

June 25, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Oct. 24, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended [language of S. 596 (S.Rept. 102-67) as passed by the Senate]. (94 yeas; 3 nays).

Oct. 24, 1991—The Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.

Feb. 4, 1992—The House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees (including from the Committee on the Judiciary).

June 25, 1992—The House modified the conferee appointments.

Sept. 22, 1992—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-886).

Sept. 23, 1992—The House agreed to the conference report. (403 yeas; 3 nays).

Sept. 23, 1992—Senate agreed to the conference report.

Sept. 25, 1992—Presented to the President.

Oct. 6, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-386.

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**H.R. 2222**

**May 2, 1991**

MR. FEIGHAN, ET AL.

To provide a new civil cause of action in Federal law for international terrorism that provides extraterritorial jurisdiction over terrorist acts abroad against United States nationals. "*Anti-terrorism Act of 1992*".

Sept. 19, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 110).  
Sept. 19, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.  
Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.  
Oct. 6, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-1040).

**H.R. 2324**

**May 14, 1991**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To amend title 28, United States Code, with respect to witness fees. "*Incarcerated Witness Fees Act of 1991*".

May 22, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 75).  
May 22, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee.  
June 18, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.  
Aug. 2, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-194).  
Nov. 18, 1991—Passed the House.  
Nov. 18, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.  
June 25, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate. (No written report).  
Aug. 6, 1992—Passed the Senate, as amended.  
Oct. 3, 1992—The House agreed to the Senate amendments.  
Oct. 14, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-417.

**H.R. 2332**

**May 14, 1991**

MR. MOAKLEY

To amend the Immigration Act of 1990 to extend for 4 months the application deadline for special temporary protected status for Salvadorans.

June 12, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.  
June 18, 1991—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.  
June 21, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-123).  
June 25, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.  
June 28, 1991—Passed the Senate.  
July 2, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-65.

**H.R. 2355**

**May 15, 1991**

MR. SCHUMER, ET AL.

To amend title 18, United States Code, and the Export Administration Act of 1979, with respect to the prosecution of illegal boycotts against nations friendly to the United States. "*Illegal Boycott Prosecution Act of 1991*".

May 15, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committee on the Judiciary and the Committee on Foreign Affairs.  
July 8, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.  
Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.  
Oct. 9, 1992—Reported, amended (technical), to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-1048, part 1).

**H.R. 2357**

**May 15, 1991**

MR. SMITH OF FLORIDA, ET AL.

To amend title 28, United States Code, relating to jurisdictional immunities of foreign states, to grant the jurisdiction of the courts of the United States in certain cases involving tortious conduct occurring in a foreign state.

May 13, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees. (Serial No. 46).  
June 24, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.  
Aug. 6, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.  
Sept. 23, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-900).

**H.R. 2372**

**May 16, 1991**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To amend title 17, United States Code, with respect to fair use and copyright renewal, to reauthorize the National Film Registry Board, and for other purposes. "*Copyright Amendments Act of 1991*".

May 16, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committee on the Judiciary and the Committee on House Administration.  
May 30, June 6, 12, 20, 1991—Hearings by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 94).  
Oct. 1, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.  
Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.  
Nov. 25, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-379, part 1).  
Nov. 25, 1991—Committee on House Administration discharged.  
Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House, as amended. (Title amended).  
Nov. 27, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.  
Superseded by S. 756.



# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 2407**

**May 20, 1991**

MR. STENHOLM, ET AL.

Entitled the "Farm Animal and Research Facilities Protection Act of 1991".

May 20, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Apr. 9, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-498, part 1).

Apr. 9, 1992—Sequentially referred to the Committee on the Judiciary until July 2, 1992.

July 2, 1992—Sequential referral extended until July 22, 1992.

July 8, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

July 22, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

July 22, 1992—Sequential referral extended until July 27, 1992.

July 27, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-498, part 2).

Aug. 4, 1992—Passed the House, amended. (Title amended).

Superseded by S. 544.

**H.R. 2450**

**May 23, 1991**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To amend title 28, United States Code, to provide for Federal jurisdiction of certain multiparty, multiform, civil actions. "*Multiparty, Multiform Jurisdiction Act of 1991*".

June 19, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 76).

Nov. 6, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-373).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Nov. 27, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

**H.R. 2508**

**June 3, 1991**

MR. FASCELL, ET AL.

To amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to rewrite the authorities of that Act in order to establish more effective assistance programs and eliminate obsolete and inconsistent provisions, to amend the Arms Export Control Act and to redesignate that Act as the Defense Trade and Export Control Act, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 1992 and 1993, and for other purposes. "*International Cooperation Act of 1991*".

June 3, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

June 4, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-96).

June 20, 1991—Passed the House, amended. (274 yeas; 138 nays).

June 28, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

July 26, 1991—Senate Committee discharged.

July 26, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended [language of S. 1435 (S.Rept. 102-100) as amended by the Senate]. (74 yeas; 18 nays).

July 26, 1991—The Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.

Sept. 12, 1991—The House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees.

Sept. 17, 1991—The House modified the conferee appointments (including the addition of conferees from the Committee on the Judiciary).

Sept. 27, 1991—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-225).

Oct. 8, 1991—The Senate agreed to the conference report. (61 yeas; 38 nays).

Oct. 30, 1991—The House failed to agree to the conference report. (159 yeas; 262 nays).

**H.R. 2549**

**June 5, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS

To make technical corrections to chapter 5 of title 5, United States Code. "*Administrative Procedure Technical Amendments Act of 1991*".

July 10, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-372).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Nov. 26, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

July 31, 1992—Reported to the Senate. (No written report).

Aug. 6, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Aug. 26, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-354.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 2731**

**June 24, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS, ET AL.

To amend section 2680(c) of title 28, United States Code, to allow Federal tort claims arising from certain acts of customs or other law enforcement officers, and to amend section 3724 of title 31, United States Code, to extend to the Secretary of the Treasury the authority to settle claims for damages resulting from law enforcement activities of the Customs Service.

Oct. 23, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 37).

Mar. 11, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Apr. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Aug. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-776).

Aug. 11, 1992—Passed the House, as amended. (Title amended).

Aug. 12, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

**H.R. 2797**

**June 26, 1991**

MR. SOLARZ, ET AL.

To protect the free exercise of religion. "*Religious Freedom Restoration Act of 1991*".

May 13, 14, 1992—Hearings by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights. (Serial No. 99).

June 24, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Sept. 30, 1992—Full Committee mark-up.

Oct. 1, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

**H.R. 2828**

**July 9, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS

To amend the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to remove the limitation on the authorization of appropriations for the Office of Government Ethics. "*Office of Government Ethics Amendment of 1991*".

July 9, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Post Office and Civil Service.

July 10, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

June 22, 1992—Reported to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-586, part 1).

July 7, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. (H.Rept. 102-586, part 2).

Aug. 4, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Superseded by S. 1145.

**H.R. 2851**

**July 10, 1991**

MR. EDWARDS OF CALIFORNIA, ET AL.

To amend title 28, United States Code, to prevent racially discriminatory capital sentencing. "*Fairness in Death Sentencing Act of 1991*".

July 31, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights.  
Superseded by H.R. 3371.

**H.R. 2950**

**July 18, 1991**

MR. MINETA, ET AL.

To develop a national intermodal surface transportation system, to authorize funds for construction of highways, for highway safety programs, and for mass transit programs, and for other purposes. "*Intermodal Surface Transportation Infrastructure Act of 1991*".

July 18, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

July 26, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-171, part 1).

July 26, 1991—Sequentially referred to the Committee on Ways and Means until July 31, 1991.

July 31, 1991—Sequential referral extended until Aug. 2, 1991.

Aug. 2, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Ways and Means. (H.Rept. 102-171, part 2).

Oct. 23, 1991—Passed the House. (343 yeas; 83 nays).

Oct. 28, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Oct. 31, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended [language of S. 1204 (S.Rept. 102-71) as amended by the Senate].

Oct. 31, 1991—The Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.

Nov. 6, 1991—The House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees (including from the Committee on the Judiciary).

Nov. 22, 1991—The House modified the conferee appointments.

Nov. 27, 1991—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-404).

Nov. 27, 1991—The House agreed to the conference report. (372 yeas; 47 nays).

Nov. 27, 1991—The Senate agreed to the conference report. (79 yeas; 8 nays).

Dec. 18, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-240.

**H.R. 2972**

**July 23, 1991**

MR. EDWARDS OF CALIFORNIA, ET AL.

To strengthen the Federal response to police misconduct. "*Police Accountability Act of 1991*".

July 31, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights.

Superseded by H.R. 3371.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 3048**

**July 25, 1991**

MR. MAZZOLI, ET AL.

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act with respect to the admission of O and P nonimmigrants.

Oct. 9, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees. (Serial No. 27).

Oct. 13, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-380).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Nov. 27, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Superseded by H.R. 3049.

**H.R. 3049**

**July 25, 1991**

MR. MAZZOLI, ET AL.

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to restore authority in courts to naturalize persons as citizens. "*Judicial Naturalization Amendments of 1991*".

Sept. 12, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

Oct. 29, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Nov. 5, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-287).

Nov. 12, 1991—Passed the House, as amended. (Title amended).

Nov. 13, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Nov. 26, 1991—Senate Committee discharged.

Nov. 26, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended. (Title and short title amended).

Nov. 27, 1991—The House agreed to the Senate amendment.

Dec. 12, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-232.

**H.R. 3088**

**July 30, 1991**

MR. EDWARDS OF CALIFORNIA, ET AL.

To amend title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to authorize funds received by States and units of local government to be expended to improve the quality and availability of DNA records; to authorize the establishment of a DNA identification index; and for other purposes. "*DNA Identification Act of 1991*".

July 31, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights.

Oct. 6, 1992—Committee discharged.

Oct. 6, 1992—Passed the House, amended.

Oct. 8, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary. (See also H.R. 3371).

**H.R. 3204**

**Aug. 2, 1991**

MR. BROOKS, ET AL.

To amend title 17, United States Code, to implement a royalty payment system and a serial copy management system for digital audio recording, to prohibit certain copyright infringement actions, and for other purposes. "*Audio Home Recording Act of 1991*".

Aug. 2, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary, Energy and Commerce, and Ways and Means.

Feb. 19, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 114).

July 31, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Aug. 11, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Sept. 17, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-873, part 1).

Sept. 21, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Ways and Means. (H.Rept. 102-873, part 2).

Sept. 22, 1992—Committee on Energy and Commerce discharged.

Sept. 22, 1992—Passed the House, amended.

Superseded by S. 1623.

**H.R. 3206**

**Aug. 2, 1991**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To prohibit the award of costs (including attorney's fees) against a judicial officer for acts or omissions occurring in a judicial capacity.

Oct. 3, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 92).

June 11, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

July 28, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Oct. 6, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-1041).

**H.R. 3218**

**Aug. 2, 1991**

MR. CAMPBELL OF CALIFORNIA

To amend title 31, United States Code, to authorize executive and legislative agencies to sell certain debts owed to the United States.

Oct. 9, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 32).

July 8, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 3237**

**Aug. 2, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS

To extend the terms of office of members of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission from 3 to 6 years. "*Foreign Claims Settlement Commission Amendments Act of 1991*".

Aug. 2, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Sept. 12, 1991—Related oversight hearing (prior to Committee re-referral) by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 13).

Nov. 14, 1991—Committee on Foreign Affairs discharged.

Nov. 14, 1991—Re-referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Nov. 19, 1991—Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations discharged.

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-375).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House.

Nov. 27, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

June 11, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate. (No written report).

**H.R. 3294**

**Sept. 11, 1991**

MR. MAZZOLI

To delay until April 1, 1992, the implementation of provisions relating to O and P nonimmigrants.

Sept. 12, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

Sept. 24, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Nov. 12, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-304).

Superseded by S. 296.

**H.R. 3316**

**Sept. 12, 1991**

MR. EDWARDS OF CALIFORNIA

To amend title 18, United States Code, to authorize the Federal Bureau of Investigation to obtain certain telephone subscriber information.

Sept. 17, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights.

Oct. 6, 1992—Committee on the Judiciary discharged.

Oct. 6, 1992—Passed the House.

Oct. 8, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary. (See also H.R. 3371).

**H.R. 3341**

**Sept. 16, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS, ET AL.

To amend the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 with respect to honoraria, and for other purposes.

Sept. 16, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committees on Post Office and Civil Service, House Administration, Armed Services, and the Judiciary.

Sept. 16, 1991—Forwarded to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations as a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 325.

Oct. 29, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-385, part 1).

Nov. 25, 1991—Committees on Post Office and Civil Service, House Administration, and Armed Services discharged.

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Nov. 27, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

**H.R. 3345**

**Sept. 16, 1991**

MRS. MINK, ET AL.

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for prompt parole into the United States of aliens in order to attend the funeral of an immediate blood relative in the United States.

July 31, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Oct. 6, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-1042).

**H.R. 3350**

**Sept. 17, 1991**

MR. EDWARDS OF CALIFORNIA, ET AL.

To extend the United States Commission on Civil Rights. "*Civil Rights Commission Reauthorization Act of 1991*".

July 25, 1991—Related oversight hearing (prior to introduction) by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights. (Serial No. 9).

Sept. 17, 1991—Forwarded to the full Committee as an original bill (language agreed upon July 31, 1991).

Sept. 24, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Sept. 30, 1991—Committee discharged.

Sept. 30, 1991—Passed the House.

Oct. 15, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Oct. 28, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended.

Nov. 5, 1991—Considered by the House.

Nov. 6, 1991—The House agreed to the Senate amendment. (420 yeas; 7 nays).

Nov. 14, 1991—Presented to the President.

Nov. 26, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-167.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 3371**

**Sept. 23, 1991**

MR. BROOKS, ET AL.

To control and prevent crime. "*Violent Crime Prevention Act of 1991*".

Sept. 23, 24, 25, 1991—Full Committee mark-up.  
 Sept. 26, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.  
 Oct. 7, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-242, part 1).  
 Oct. 7, 1991—Sequentially referred to the Committees on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs; Education and Labor; Energy and Commerce; Merchant Marine and Fisheries; Public Works and Transportation; and Ways and Means until Oct. 9, 1991.  
 Oct. 9, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Ways and Means. (H.Rept. 102-242, part 2).  
 Oct. 9, 1991—Committees on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs; Education and Labor; Energy and Commerce; Merchant Marine and Fisheries; and Public Works and Transportation discharged.  
 Oct. 16, 17, 1991—Considered by the House.  
 Oct. 22, 1991—Passed the House, amended. (305 ayes; 118 noes; 1 "present"). (Short title amended).  
 Nov. 19, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.  
 Nov. 21, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended (language of S. 1241 as passed by the Senate).  
 Nov. 21, 1991—The Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.  
 Nov. 21, 1991—The House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees.  
 Nov. 24, 1991—Conferees agreed to file a conference report.  
 Nov. 27, 1991—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-405).  
 Nov. 27, 1991—The House agreed to the conference report. (205 ayes; 203 noes).  
 Nov. 27, 1991—The Senate failed to invoke cloture on consideration of the conference report. (49 yeas; 38 nays).  
 Mar. 4, 5, 19, 1992—The Senate considered the conference report.  
 Mar. 19, 1992—The Senate failed to invoke cloture on further consideration of the conference report. (54 yeas; 43 nays).  
 May 14, 1992—The Senate considered the conference report.

**H.R. 3379**

**Sept. 24, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS

To amend section 574 of title 5, United States Code, relating to the authorities of the Administrative Conference.

Oct. 3, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.  
 Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.  
 Nov. 25, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-371).  
 Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House.  
 Nov. 27, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.  
 June 25, 1992—Reported to the Senate. (No written report).  
 Sept. 17, 1992—Passed the Senate.  
 Sept. 21, 1992—Presented to the President.  
 Sept. 30, 1992—The House agreed to H.Con.Res. 366 providing for the reenrollment of H.R. 3379 with technical corrections.  
 Oct. 1, 1992—The Senate agreed to H.Con.Res. 366.  
 Oct. 2, 1992—Enrolled bill returned to the House.  
 Oct. 5, 1992—Presented to the President.  
 Oct. 9, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-403.**

**H.R. 3381**

**Sept. 24, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS

To amend section 202 title 18, United States Code, to allow the President to waive certain conflict of interest statutes with respect to certain individuals.

Oct. 3, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 38).  
 Oct. 23, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

**H.R. 3407**

**Sept. 25, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS, ET AL.

To amend chapter 171 of title 28, United States Code, to allow claims against the United States under that chapter for damages arising from certain negligent medical care provided members of the Armed Forces.

Oct. 2, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 41).  
 June 24, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.  
 Aug. 6, 1992—Full Committee mark-up.  
 Aug. 11, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.  
 Oct. 6, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-1043).

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 3489**

**Oct. 3, 1991**

MR. GEJDENSON, ET AL.

To reauthorize the Export Administration Act of 1979, and for other purposes. "*Omnibus Export Amendments Act of 1991*".

Oct. 3, 1991—Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Oct. 23, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-267).

Oct. 29, 1991—Considered by the House.

Oct. 30, 1991—Passed the House, amended.

Nov. 1, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Jan. 22, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended.

Jan. 22, 1992—The Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.

June 3, 1992—The House agreed to a conference and appointed conferees (including from the Committee on the Judiciary).

Oct. 5, 1992—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-1025).

Oct. 8, 1992—The Senate agreed to the conference report.

**H.R. 3531**

**Oct. 9, 1991**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To authorize appropriations for the Patent and Trademark Office in the Department of Commerce for fiscal year 1992, and for other purposes. "*Patent and Trademark Office Authorization Act of 1991*".

May 8, 1991—Related oversight hearings (prior to introduction) by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 53).

Oct. 9, 1991—Forwarded to the full Committee as an original bill (language agreed upon Oct. 1, 1991).

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-382).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Nov. 27, 1991—Passed the Senate.

Dec. 10, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-204.

**H.R. 3591**

**Oct. 21, 1991**

MR. WYDEN, ET AL.

To amend the Public Health Service Act to provide protections from legal liability for certain health care professionals providing services pursuant to such Act. "*Federally Supported Health Centers Assistance Act of 1991*".

Oct. 21, 1991—Referred jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and the Judiciary.

Oct. 23, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

Apr. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Aug. 10, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-823, part 1).

Sept. 14, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. (H.Rept. 102-823, part 2).

Sept. 15, 1992—Passed the House, amended.

Sept. 18, 1992—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Superseded by H.R. 6183.

**H.R. 3597**

**Oct. 22, 1991**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS, ET AL.

To strengthen the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended.

Oct. 23, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

**H.R. 3666**

**Oct. 30, 1991**

MR. BROOKS

To amend title 28, United States Code, to provide for an additional place of holding court for the Eastern District of Texas.

Oct. 31, 1991—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 86).

Oct. 31, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-368).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House.

Nov. 27, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 3670**

**Oct. 30, 1991**

MR. MAZZOLI

To make certain technical corrections relating to the immigration laws. "*Immigration Technical Corrections Act of 1991*".

Oct. 30, 1991—Forwarded as an original bill by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees (language agreed upon Oct. 30, 1991).

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-383).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Nov. 27, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Superseded by H.R. 3049.

**H.R. 3686**

**Oct. 31, 1991**

MR. COBLE

To amend title 28, United States Code, to make changes in the places of holding court in the Eastern District of North Carolina.

Oct. 31, 1991—Related hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 86).

Oct. 31, 1991—Forwarded to the full Committee as an original bill (language agreed upon Oct. 31, 1991).

Nov. 19, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Nov. 25, 1991—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-369).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the House.

Nov. 27, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Apr. 8, 1992—Reported to the Senate. (No written report).

Apr. 8, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Apr. 21, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-272.

**H.R. 3748**

**Nov. 12, 1991**

MR. MCDERMOTT, ET AL.

To amend the Civil Rights Act of 1991 with respect to the application of such Act. "*Justice for Wards Cove Workers Act*".

Nov. 14, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights.

**H.R. 3795**

**Nov. 18, 1991**

MR. BROWN, ET AL.

To amend title 28, United States Code, to establish 3 divisions in the Central Judicial District of California.

June 11, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 119).

June 11, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

July 22, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Aug. 3, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-772).

Aug. 3, 1992—Passed the House.

Aug. 6, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Aug. 26, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-357.

**H.R. 3842**

**Nov. 21, 1991**

MR. JONES OF NORTH CAROLINA, ET AL.

To extend the territorial sea and the contiguous zone of the United States, and for other purposes. "*Territorial Sea and Contiguous Zone Extension and Enforcement Act of 1991*".

Nov. 21, 1992—Referred jointly to the Committees on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, Foreign Affairs, and the Judiciary.

Mar. 18, 1992—Referred to the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

Aug. 12, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries. (H.Rept. 102-843, part 1).

**H.R. 3844**

**Nov. 21, 1991**

MR. MAZZOLI, ET AL.

To assure the protection of Haitians in the United States or in United States custody pending the resumption of democratic rule in Haiti. "*Haitian Refugee Protection Act of 1991*".

Feb. 5, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

Feb. 20, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Feb. 25, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-437).

Feb. 26, 1992—Considered by the House.

Feb. 27, 1992—Passed the House, amended. (217 ayes; 165 noes). (Title amended).

Mar. 24, 1992—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 3910**

**Nov. 25, 1991**

MR. GLICKMAN, ET AL.

To establish a specialized corps of judges necessary for certain Federal proceedings required to be conducted, and for other purposes. "*Administrative Law Judge Corps Act*".

Apr. 29, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 68).

June 24, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

July 28, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Oct. 6, 1992 Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-1044).

**H.R. 4008**

**Nov. 26, 1991**

MR. MOODY, ET AL.

To provide for temporary protected status for nationals of Yugoslavia.

July 31, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

**H.R. 4209**

**Feb. 7, 1992**

MR. SYNAR, ET AL.

To amend the Act entitled "An Act conferring jurisdiction on certain courts of the United States to hear and render judgement in connection with certain claims of the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma", approved December 23, 1982. "*Cherokee, Choctaw, and Chickasaw Nations of Oklahoma Claims Act of 1992*".

Feb. 7, 1992—Referred jointly to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs and the Committee on the Judiciary.

Apr. 1, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 71).

Apr. 29, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

July 1, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Aug. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-773, part 1).

Aug. 4, 1992—Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs discharged.

Aug. 4, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Aug. 6, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

**H.R. 4312**

**Feb. 25, 1992**

MR. SERRANO, ET AL.

To amend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 with respect to bilingual election requirements. "*Voting Rights Improvement Act of 1992*".

Apr. 1, 2, 1992—Related oversight hearings by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights. (Serial No. 93).

May 7, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

June 4, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

July 8, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-655).

July 23, 1992—Considered by the House.

July 24, 1992—Passed the House, as amended. (237 yeas; 125 nays). (Short title amended).

Aug. 6, 1992—Considered by the Senate.

Aug. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate. (75 yeas; 20 nays).

Aug. 26, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-344.

**H.R. 4363**

**Mar. 3, 1992**

MR. BROOKS

To amend title 11 of the United States Code to exclude from the estate of the debtor certain interests in liquid and gaseous hydrocarbons.

Apr. 1, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law. (Serial No. 63).

Apr. 29, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Oct. 2, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-980).

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Oct. 8, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended.

**H.R. 4412**

**Mar. 5, 1992**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To amend title 17, United States Code, relating to fair use of copyrighted works.

Mar. 12, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration.

Apr. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Aug. 11, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-836).

Aug. 11, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Aug. 12, 1992—Received in the Senate.

Oct. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 24, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-492.



# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 4511**

**Mar. 19, 1992**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To amend title 17, United States Code, to revise the compulsory licensing system that applies to cable systems. "*Copyright Broadcast Retransmission Licensing Act of 1992*"

Apr. 1, 2, 1992—Hearings by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 121).

June 18, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

**H.R. 4542**

**Mar. 24, 1992**

MR. SCHUMER, ET AL.

To prevent and deter auto theft. "*Anti-Car Theft Act of 1992*".

Mar. 24, 1992—Referred jointly to the Committee on the Judiciary and the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mar. 31, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice. (Serial No. 48).

May 21, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

July 28, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Aug. 12, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-851, part 1).

Aug. 12, 1992—Sequentially referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce until September 19, 1992.

Sept. 9, 1992—Sequentially referred to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation until September 19, 1992.

Sept. 18, 1992—Sequential referrals extended until September 22, 1992.

Sept. 22, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. (H.Rept. 102-851, part 2).

Sept. 22, 1992—Committee on Public Works and Transportation discharged.

Sept. 23, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Ways and Means. (H.Rept. 102-851, part 3).

Oct. 6, 1992—Passed the House, amended.

Oct. 8, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 25, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-519.

**H.R. 4551**

**Mar. 24, 1992**

MR. GEPHARDT, ET AL.

To amend the Civil Liberties Act of 1988 to increase the authorization for the Trust Fund under that Act, and for other purposes. "*Civil Liberties Act Amendments of 1992*".

Mar. 26, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 88).

Apr. 1, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Aug. 11, 1992—Ordered reported, amended (including the language of H.R. 4553), to the House.

Sept. 14, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-863).

Sept. 14, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Sept. 16, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Sept. 27, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-371.

**H.R. 4553**

**Mar. 24, 1992**

MR. MATSUI, ET AL.

To amend the Civil Liberties Act of 1988 to clarify that payments under that Act shall not be includible as income for purposes of all laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs.

Mar. 26, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 88).

Apr. 1, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Superseded by H.R. 4551.

**H.R. 4563**

**Mar. 25, 1992**

MR. BERMAN

To amend the False Claims Act to provide certain limitations on Federal employees filing qui tam actions, and for other purposes. "*False Claims Act Technical Amendments of 1992*".

Apr. 1, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 49).

June 24, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

July 28, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Aug. 11, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-837).

Aug. 11, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Aug. 12, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 4567**

**Mar. 25, 1992**

MRS. COLLINS OF ILLINOIS, ET AL.

To amend title 17, United States Code, to implement a royalty payment system and a serial copy management system for digital audio recording, to prohibit certain copyright infringement actions, and for other purposes. *"Audio Home Recording Act of 1992"*.

Mar. 25, 1992—Referred jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary, Energy and Commerce, and Ways and Means.

Apr. 3, 1992—Referred to the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration.

Aug. 4, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Energy and Commerce. (H.Rept. 102-780, part 1).

Superseded by H.R. 3204.

**H.R. 4776**

**Apr. 7, 1992**

MR. SCHUMER

To amend the Contract Services for Drug Dependent Federal Offenders Act of 1978 to provide additional authorizations of appropriations. *"Drug and Alcohol Offenders Treatment Act of 1992"*.

Apr. 9, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

Apr. 30, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Aug. 10, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-824).

Aug. 11, 1992—Passed the House.

Aug. 12, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

**H.R. 4797**

**Apr. 7, 1992**

MR. SCHUMER, ET AL.

To direct the United States Sentencing Commission to make sentencing guidelines for Federal criminal cases that provide sentencing enhancements for hate crimes. *"Hate Crimes Sentencing Enhancement Act of 1992"*.

July 29, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice. (Serial No. 64).

Aug. 5, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Oct. 2, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-981).

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House.

Oct. 8, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

**H.R. 4841**

**Apr. 9, 1992**

MR. SWETT, ET AL.

Granting the consent of the Congress to the New Hampshire-Maine Interstate School Compact.

Apr. 29, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 91).

Apr. 29, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Aug. 6, 1992—Full Committee mark-up.

Aug. 11, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Sept. 17, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-874).

Sept. 22, 1992—Passed the House.

Sept. 24, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Oct. 2, 1992—Senate Committee discharged.

Oct. 2, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 24, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-494.

**H.R. 4954**

**Apr. 9, 1992**

MR. SCHUMER

To prohibit the receipt of advance fees by unregulated loan brokers. *"Advance Fee Loan Scam Prevention Act of 1992"*.

Apr. 9, 1992—Referred jointly to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs and the Committee on the Judiciary.

May 21, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

## LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 5006**

**Apr. 29, 1992**

MR. ASPIN, ET AL. (BY REQUEST)

To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1993 for military functions of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel levels for fiscal year 1993, and for other purposes. "*National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1992*".

Apr. 29, 1992—Referred to the Committee on Armed Services.  
May 19, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-527).  
June 3, 4, 1992—Considered by the House.  
June 5, 1992—Passed the House, amended. (198 yeas; 168 nays). (Title amended).  
June 12, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on Armed Services.  
Sept. 19, 1992—Senate Committee discharged.  
Sept. 19, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended [language of S. 3114 (S.Rept. 102-352) as amended by the Senate].  
Sept. 19, 1992—Senate requested a conference and appointed conferees.  
Sept. 22, 1992—The House agreed to a conference.  
Sept. 23, 1992—The House appointed conferees (including from the Committee on the Judiciary).  
Sept. 24, 1992—The House modified the conferee appointments.  
Oct. 1, 1992—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-966).  
Oct. 3, 1992—The House agreed to the conference report. (304 yeas; 100 nays).  
Oct. 3, 1992—The Senate considered the conference report.  
Oct. 5, 1992—The Senate agreed to the conference report.  
Oct. 23, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-484.

**H.R. 5025**

**Apr. 29, 1992**

MR. BRYANT, ET AL.

To amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit the practice by mental health care providers of using bounty hunters to attract patients for treatment. "*Mental Health Care Providers Bounty Prevention Act of 1992*".

Sept. 23, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

**H.R. 5096**

**May 7, 1992**

MR. BROOKS

To supersede the Modification of Final Judgment entered August 24, 1982, in the antitrust action styled U.S. v. Western Electric, Civil action No. 82-0192 United States District Court for the District of Columbia; and for other purposes. "*Antitrust Reform Act of 1992*"

May 28, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law.  
July 1, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.  
Aug. 12, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-850).

**H.R. 5236**

**May 21, 1992**

MR. EDWARDS OF CALIFORNIA

To amend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 to clarify certain aspects of its coverage and to provide for the recovery of additional litigation expenses by litigants. "*Voting Rights Extension Act of 1992*".

Apr. 8, 1992—Related oversight hearing (prior to introduction) by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights. (Serial No. 93).  
May 21, 1992—Forwarded to the full Committee as an original bill (language agreed upon May 7, 1992).  
June 4, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.  
July 8, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-656).

**H.R. 5285**

**May 28, 1992**

MR. EDWARDS OF CALIFORNIA

To authorize appropriations to carry out the activities of the Federal Bureau of Investigation for fiscal year 1993, and for other purposes. "*Federal Bureau of Investigation Appropriations Authorization Act, Fiscal Year 1993*".

Mar. 18, 20, 1992—Related oversight hearings (prior to introduction) by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights. (Serial No. 81).  
June 11, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

**H.R. 5304**

**June 2, 1992**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS, ET AL.

To provide that a State court may not modify an order of another State court requiring the payment of child support unless the recipient of child support payments resides in the State in which the modification is sought, or consents to seeking the modification in such other State court.

Aug. 12, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 73).  
Sept. 17, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.  
Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.  
Oct. 2, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-982).  
Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.  
Oct. 8, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 5328**

**June 4, 1992**

MR. MCCOLLUM

To amend title 35, United States Code, with respect to the late payment of maintenance fees, and for other purposes.

Sept. 18, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, as amended, to the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-993).

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, as amended. (Title amended).

Oct. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 23, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-444.

**H.R. 5383**

**June 11, 1992**

MR. MAZZOLI

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to extend for 3 years the authorization of appropriations for domestic refugee assistance.

June 24, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

July 22, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Oct. 6, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-1045).

**H.R. 5399**

**June 16, 1992**

MR. EDWARDS OF CALIFORNIA

To amend the United States Commission on Civil Rights Act of 1983 to provide an authorization of appropriations. "United States Commission on Civil Rights Authorization Act of 1992".

Mar. 19, 1992—Related oversight hearing (prior to introduction) by the Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights. (Serial No. 126).

June 16, 1992—Forwarded to the full Committee as an original bill (language agreed upon May 21, 1992).

July 22, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Aug. 3, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-770).

Aug. 3, 1992—Passed the House.

Aug. 5, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Sept. 17, 1992—Reported to the Senate. (No written report).

Sept. 29, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 7, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-400.

**H.R. 5452**

**June 22, 1992**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

Granting the consent of the Congress to a supplemental compact or agreement between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey concerning the Delaware River Port Authority.

June 24, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 47).

June 24, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Aug. 6, 1992—Full Committee mark-up.

Aug. 11, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Sept. 17, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-875).

Sept. 22, 1992—Passed the House.

Sept. 24, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Oct. 2, 1992—Reported to the Senate. (No written report).

Oct. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 27, 1992—Pocket vetoed by the President.

Superseded by S. 2964.

**H.R. 5475**

**June 24, 1992**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

Providing policies with respect to approval of bills providing for patent term extensions, and to extend certain patents.

June 24, 1992—Forwarded to the full Committee as an original bill by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration (language agreed upon June 11, 1992).

July 22, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Aug. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-775).

Aug. 3, 1992—Considered by the House.

Aug. 4, 1992—Passed the House, as amended. (278 yeas; 131 nays; 1 "present").

Aug. 6, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

**H.R. 5555**

**July 2, 1992**

MR. SCHUMER, ET AL.

To provide for increased preinspection at foreign airports, to make permanent the visa waiver pilot program, and to provide for expedited airport immigration processing.

July 23, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

Aug. 6, 1992—Full Committee mark-up.

Aug. 11, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Sept. 25, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-910).

Sept. 29, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Sept. 29, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 5599**

**July 9, 1992**

MR. MAZZOLI, ET AL.

To amend title III of the Immigration and Nationality Act to make changes in the laws relating to nationality and naturalization. "*Nationality and Naturalization Amendments of 1992*".

July 31, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

**H.R. 5602**

**July 9, 1992**

MR. MCCLOSKEY, ET AL.

Granting the consent of the Congress to the Interstate Rail Passenger Network Compact.

Aug. 12, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 89).  
Sept. 10, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.  
Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.  
Oct. 2, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-983).  
Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House.  
Oct. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate.  
Oct. 23, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-452.

**H.R. 5633**

**July 21, 1992**

MR. SCHUMER

To amend title 18, United States Code, to expand the scope of the multiple firearms sales reporting requirement, and to require that persons comply with State and local firearms licensing laws before receiving a Federal license to deal in firearms. "*Firearms Law Enforcement Assistance Act of 1992*".

Aug. 5, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

**H.R. 5634**

**July 21, 1992**

MR. SCHUMER, ET AL.

To amend title 18, United States Code, to prevent certain convicted felons from regaining access to firearms. "*Stop Rearming Felons Act of 1992*".

Aug. 5, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

**H.R. 5688**

**July 23, 1992**

MR. BROOKS, ET AL.

To amend title 28, United States Code, to authorize the appointment of additional bankruptcy judges, and for other purposes. "*Bankruptcy Judgeship Act of 1992*".

July 30, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law.

Aug. 6, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Aug. 10, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-825).

Aug. 10, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Aug. 12, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Aug. 26, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-361.

**H.R. 5693**

**July 24, 1992**

MR. MAZZOLI, ET AL.

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit the spouses of citizens and permanent resident aliens to file classification petitions for immediate relative and second preference family status and to permit the use of credible evidence in spousal waiver applications for removal of conditional permanent residence.

July 31, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

**H.R. 5716**

**July 29, 1992**

MR. SCHUMER, ET AL.

To extend for two years the authorizations of appropriations for certain programs under title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968.

Aug. 5, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

Aug. 11, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Sept. 22, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-884).

Sept. 22, 1992—Considered by the House.

Sept. 24, 1992—Passed the House, amended. (399 yeas; 10 nays).

Oct. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 27, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-534.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 5840**

**Aug. 12, 1992**

MR. BROOKS, ET AL.

To reauthorize the independent counsel law for an additional 5 years, and for other purposes. "*Independent Counsel Reauthorization Act of 1992*".

Sept. 10, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. (Serial No. 77).

Sept. 17, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

**H.R. 5862**

**Aug. 12, 1992**

MR. MANTON, ET AL.

To amend title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to ensure an equitable and timely distribution of benefits to public safety officers.

Sept. 23, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

Oct. 1, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-994).

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, amended.

Oct. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 25, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-520.

**H.R. 5933**

**Sept. 14, 1992**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To implement the recommendations of the Federal Courts Study Committee, and for other purposes. "*Federal Courts Administration Act of 1992*".

Sept. 15, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 109).

Sept. 15, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-1006, part 1).

Oct. 3, 1992—Sequentially referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service until October 4, 1992.

Oct. 3, 1992—Committee on Post Office and Civil Service discharged.

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Superseded by S. 1569 and H.R. 6185.

**H.R. 5935**

**Sept. 15, 1992**

MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS

To amend title 31, United States Code, with respect to the receipt of compensation by executive branch employees for outside speaking, teaching, and writing that relates to official duties, and for other purposes. "*Executive Branch Standards of Conduct Correction Act of 1992*".

Sept. 17, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

**H.R. 5972**

**Sept. 17, 1992**

MR. RAMSTAD

To amend title 18, United States Code, to strengthen the Federal prohibitions against assaulting children. "*Assaults Against Children Act of 1992*".

Sept. 23, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

**H.R. 5998**

**Sept. 23, 1992**

MR. PARKER

For the relief of the Wilkinson County School District, in the State of Mississippi.

Sept. 23, 1992—Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary as a public bill.

Sept. 24, 1992—Referred to the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

Sept. 30, 1992—Subcommittee discharged.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-995).

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Oct. 8, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 23, 1992—Approved by the President as private legislation. Private Law 102-18.

**H.R. 6017**

**Sept. 24, 1992**

MR. FASCELL, ET AL.

To implement for the United States the United Nations Convention Against Torture and Other Cruel Inhumane or Degrading Treatment or Punishment.

Oct. 2, 1992—Committee on the Judiciary discharged.

Oct. 2, 1992—Passed the House.

Oct. 5, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**H.R. 6020**

**Sept. 24, 1992**

MR. BROOKS, ET AL.

To amend titles 11 and 28 of the United States Code, relating to bankruptcy. "*Bankruptcy Amendments of 1992*".

Sept. 25, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-996).

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Superseded by S. 1985.

**H.R. 6048**

**Sept. 28, 1992**

MR. ANNUNZIO, ET AL.

To require the Federal depository institution regulatory agencies to take additional enforcement actions against depository institutions engaging in money laundering, and for other purposes. "*Financial Institutions Enforcement Improvements Act*".

Sept. 28, 1992—Referred jointly to the Committees on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs; the Judiciary; and Foreign Affairs.

Sept. 29, 1992—Committees discharged.

Sept. 29, 1992—Passed the House, amended.

Oct. 8, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

See also H.R. 26.

**H.R. 6183**

**Oct. 6, 1992**

MR. WYDEN

To amend the Public Health Service Act to provide protection from legal liability for certain health care professionals providing services pursuant to such Act. "*Federally Supported Health Centers Assistance Act of 1992*".

Oct. 6, 1992—Referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

Oct. 6, 1992—Committee discharged.

Oct. 6, 1992—Passed the House in lieu of H.R. 3591.

Oct. 8, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 24, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-501.

**H.R. 6185**

**Oct. 6, 1992**

MR. HUGHES, ET AL.

To implement the recommendations of the Federal Courts Study Committee, and for other purposes. "*Federal Courts Administration Act of 1992*".

Oct. 6, 1992—Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Oct. 6, 1992—Committee on the Judiciary discharged.

Oct. 6, 1992—Passed the House.

Oct. 7, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Oct. 30, 1992—Pocket vetoed by the President.

Superseded by S. 1569.

(See also H.R. 5933).

**H.J. Res. 207**

**Mar. 22, 1991**

MR. BRYANT, ET AL.

Commemorating the seventy-fifth anniversary of the chartering, by an Act of Congress, of the Boy Scouts of America.

May 29, 1991—Referred to the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

June 12, 1991—Committee discharged.

June 12, 1991—Passed the House.

June 13, 1991—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

Superseded by S.J.Res. 111.

**H.J. Res. 290**

**June 26, 1991**

MR. STENHOLM, ET AL.

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution to provide for a balanced budget for the United States Government and for greater accountability in the enactment of tax legislation.

July 8, 1991—Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law.

May 20, 1992—Motion to discharge the Committee on Rules from consideration of H.Res. 450 (providing for the consideration of H.J.Res. 290) placed on the Calendar of Motions to Discharge Committees, 218 Members having signed the petition.

June 10, 1992—Considered by the House under the provisions of H.Res. 450.

June 11, 1992—Failed passage, two-thirds not voting in the affirmative. (280 yeas; 153 nays).

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

## H.J. Res. 454

Mar. 26, 1992

MR. STOKES, ET AL.

To provide for the expeditious disclosure of records relevant to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. "*Assassination Materials Disclosure Act of 1992*".

Mar. 26, 1992—Referred jointly to the Committees on House Administration, Government Operations, Rules, and the Judiciary.

May 20, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law. (Serial No. 59).

May 28, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

June 29, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on Government Operations. (H.Rept. 102-625, part 1).

July 1, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Aug. 11, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-625, part 2).

Aug. 11, 1992—Committees on House Administration and Rules discharged.

Aug. 11, 1992—Considered by the House.

Aug. 12, 1992—Passed the House, amended.

Sept. 23, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs.

Superseded by S. 3006.

## H. Con. Res. 44

Jan. 18, 1991

MR. SHAW, ET AL.

Calling upon the people of the United States to display the American flag in show of support for the United States troops stationed in the Persian Gulf region.

Feb. 19, 1991—Committee on the Judiciary discharged.

Feb. 20, 1991—Agreed to by the House. (409 yeas).

Feb. 21, 1991—Agreed to by the Senate.

## H. Con. Res. 89

Mar. 5, 1991

MRS. MORELLA, ET AL.

Expressing the sense of Congress that expert testimony concerning the nature and effect of domestic violence, including descriptions of the experiences of battered women, should be admissible when offered in a State court by a defendant in a criminal case.

Aug. 6, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 120).

Sept. 18, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-998).

Oct. 3, 1992—Agreed to by the House.

Oct. 8, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

## H. Con. Res. 320

May 19, 1992

MR. BROOKS

Declaring the ratification of the proposed amendment to the Constitution relating to compensation for Representatives and Senators.

May 19, 1992—Considered by the House.

May 20, 1992—Agreed to by the House. (414 yeas; 3 nays).

May 21, 1992—Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary.

## S. 296

Jan. 30, 1991

MR. KENNEDY, ET AL.

To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for special immigrant status for certain aliens who have served honorably (or are enlisted to serve) in the Armed Forces of the United States for at least 12 years. "*Armed Forces Immigration Adjustment Act of 1991*".

Jan. 30, 1991—Passed the Senate.

Jan. 31, 1991—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

May 15, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

June 18, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Aug. 2, 1991—Reported to the House, amended. (H.Rept. 102-195).

Sept. 16, 1991—Passed the House, as amended.

Sept. 24, 1991—The Senate agreed to the House amendment with an amendment.

Sept. 26, 1991—The House agreed to the Senate amendment to the House amendment.

Oct. 1, 1991—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-110.



# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**S. 347**

**Feb. 5, 1991**

MR. RIEGLE, ET AL.

To amend the Defense Production Act of 1950 to revitalize the defense industrial base of the United States, and for other purposes. "*Defense Production Act Amendments of 1991*".

Feb. 5, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Feb. 21, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended.

Oct. 10, 1991—Passed the House, amended [language of H.R. 3039 (reported by the Committees on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs and Armed Services—H.Rept. 102-208, parts 1 and 2) as passed by the House]. (Title amended).

Oct. 10, 1991—The House requested a conference and appointed conferees (including from the Committee on the Judiciary).

Oct. 24, 1991—The Senate agreed to a conference and appointed conferees.

Mar. 18, 1992—The House modified the conferee appointments.

Oct. 5, 1992—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-1028).

Oct. 6, 1992—The House agreed to the conference report.

Oct. 8, 1992—The Senate agreed to the conference report.

Oct. 28, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-558.**

**S. 429**

**Feb. 20, 1991**

MR. METZENBAUM, ET AL.

To amend the Sherman Act regarding retail competition. "*The Consumer Protection Against Price-Fixing Act of 1991*".

Apr. 19, 1991—Reported to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (S.Rept. 102-42).

May 7, 8, 1991—Considered by the Senate.

May 9, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended.

May 14, 1991—Held at the desk in the House.

Oct. 10, 1991—Passed the House, amended (language of H.R. 1470, as passed by the House). (Title amended).

Oct. 10, 1991—The House requested a conference and appointed conferees.

Mar. 18, 1992—The Senate agreed to a conference and appointed conferees.

June 22, 1992—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-605).

June 30, 1992—The House failed to agree to the conference report. (175 yeas; 225 nays).

**S. 474**

**Feb. 22, 1991**

MR. DECONCINI, ET AL.

To prohibit sports gambling under State law. "*Professional and Amateur Sports Protection Act*".

Nov. 26, 1991—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (S.Rept. 102-248).

June 2, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended. (88 yeas; 5 nays).

June 3, 1992—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

June 8, 1992—Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law.

Oct. 6, 1992—House Committee discharged.

Oct. 6, 1992—Passed the House, amended (in lieu of H.R. 74). (Title amended).

Oct. 7, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendments.

Oct. 28, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-559.**

**S. 543**

**Mar. 5, 1991**

MR. RIEGLE, ET AL.

To reform Federal deposit insurance, protect the deposit insurance funds, recapitalize the Bank Insurance Fund, improve supervision and regulation of insured depository institutions, and for other purposes. "*Comprehensive Deposit Insurance Reform and Taxpayer Protection Act of 1991*".

(See H.R. 6 for related previous action).

Oct. 1, 1991—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (S.Rept. 102-167).

Nov. 13, 14, 18, 19, 1991—Considered by the Senate.

Nov. 21, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended.

Nov. 23, 1991—Held at the desk in the House.

Nov. 23, 1991—Passed the House, amended [language of H.R. 3768 (reported by the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs—H.Rept. 102-330) as passed by the House]. (Title amended).

Nov. 23, 1991—The House requested a conference and appointed conferees.

Nov. 25, 1991—The Senate agreed to a conference and appointed conferees.

Nov. 27, 1991—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-407).

Nov. 27, 1991—The House agreed to the conference report.

Nov. 27, 1991—The Senate agreed to the conference report. (68 yeas; 15 nays).

Dec. 19, 1991—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-242.**

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**S. 544**

**Mar. 5, 1991**

MR. HEFLIN, ET AL.

To amend the Food, Agriculture, Conservation and Trade Act of 1990 to provide protection to animal research facilities from illegal acts, and for other purposes. "*Animal Research Facilities Protection Act of 1991*".

Oct. 16, 1991—Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry discharged.

Oct. 16, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended.

Oct. 17, 1991—Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.

Aug. 4, 1992—House Committee discharged.

Aug. 4, 1992—Passed the House, amended [language of H.R. 2407 (reported by the Committees on Agriculture and the Judiciary) as passed by the House]. (Title amended).

Aug. 7, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendments.

Aug. 26, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-346**

**S. 756**

**Mar. 21, 1991**

MR. DECONCINI, ET AL.

To amend title 17, United States Code, the copyright renewal provisions, and for other purposes.

Oct. 22, 1991—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (S.Rept. 102-194).

Nov. 25, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended.

Nov. 26, 1991—Held at the desk in the House.

June 4, 1992—Passed the House, amended.

June 4, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendment.

June 26, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-307.**

**S. 758**

**Mar. 21, 1991**

MR. DECONCINI, ET AL.

To clarify that States, instrumentalities of States, and officers and employees of States acting in their official capacity, are subject to suit in Federal court by any person for infringement of patents and plant variety protections, and that all the remedies can be obtained in such suit that can be obtained in a suit against a private entity. "*Patent and Plant Variety Protection Remedy Clarification Act*".

May 12, 1992—Reported to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (S.Rept. 102-280).

June 12, 1992—Passed the Senate.

June 15, 1992—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

June 22, 1992—Referred to the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration.

Oct. 3, 1992—House Committee discharged.

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House.

Oct. 28, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-560.**

**S. 759**

**Mar. 21, 1991**

MR. DECONCINI, FOR HIMSELF, AND MR. HATCH

To amend certain trademark laws to clarify that States, instrumentalities of States, and officers and employees of States acting in their official capacity, are subject to suit in Federal court by any person for infringement of trademarks, and that all the remedies can be obtained in such suit that can be obtained in a suit against a private entity. "*Trademark Remedy Clarification Act*".

May 12, 1992—Reported to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (S.Rept. 102-280).

June 12, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended.

June 15, 1992—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

June 17, 1992—Referred to the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration.

Oct. 3, 1992—House Committee discharged.

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House.

Oct. 27, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-542.**

**S. 893**

**Apr. 23, 1991**

MR. HATCH, ET AL.

To amend title 18, United States Code, to impose criminal sanctions for violation of software copyright.

Apr. 7, 1992—Reported to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (S.Rept. 102-268).

June 4, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended.

June 9, 1992—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Aug. 12, 1992—Hearing by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration. (Serial No. 107).

Sept. 10, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee.

Sept. 30, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-997).

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, as amended. (Title amended).

Oct. 8, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendments.

Oct. 28, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-561.**

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**S. 909**

**Apr. 23, 1991**

MR. LEAHY, ET AL.

To amend chapter 9 of title 17, United States Code, regarding protection extended to semiconductor chip products of foreign entities. "*Semiconductor International Protection Extension Act of 1991*".

June 11, 1991—Reported to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (S.Rept. 102-78).

June 12, 1991—Passed the Senate.

June 13, 1991—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

June 17, 1991—Referred to the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration.

June 25, 1991—House Committee discharged.

June 25, 1991—Passed the House in lieu of H.R. 1998.

June 28, 1991—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-64.**

**S. 1002**

**May 8, 1991**

MR. SHELBY, ET AL.

To impose a criminal penalty for flight to avoid payment of arrearages in child support.

Sept. 17, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (No written report).

Sept. 18, 1992—Passed the Senate, as amended.

Sept. 22, 1992—Held at the desk in the House.

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, amended (including the language of H.R. 1241 as passed by the House).

Oct. 7, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendment.

Oct. 25, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-521.**

**S. 1145**

**May 23, 1991**

MR. LEVIN, ET AL.

To amend the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to remove the limitation on the authorization of appropriations for the Office of Government Ethics. "*Office of Government Ethics Amendment of 1991*".

July 30, 1991—Reported to the Senate by the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (S.Rept. 102-132).

Aug. 2, 1991—Passed the Senate.

Sept. 11, 1991—Referred jointly to the House Committee on the Judiciary and the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

Aug. 4, 1992—House Committees discharged.

Aug. 4, 1992—Passed the House, amended (language of H.R. 2828, as passed by the House).

Oct. 7, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendment.

Oct. 24, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-506.**

**S. 1216**

**June 4, 1991**

MR. GORTON, ET AL.

To provide for the adjustment of status under the Immigration and Nationality Act of certain nationals of the People's Republic of China unless conditions permit their return in safety to that foreign state. "*Chinese Student Protection Act of 1992*".

May 7, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (No written report).

May 21, 1992—Passed the Senate, as amended.

May 27, 1992—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

June 24, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

July 22, 1992—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Aug. 10, 1992—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-826).

Aug. 10, 1992—Passed the House, as amended.

Sept. 23, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendment.

Sept. 30, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-404.**

**S. 1284**

**June 12, 1991**

MR. THURMOND, ET AL.

To make certain technical corrections in the Judicial Improvements Act of 1990.

June 12, 1991—Passed the Senate.

June 13, 1991—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Oct. 1, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration.

Oct. 29, 1991—Ordered reported, amended, to the House.

Nov. 18, 1991—Reported, amended, to the House. (H.Rept. 102-322).

Nov. 19, 1991—Passed the House, as amended. (Title amended).

Nov. 22, 1991—The Senate agreed to the House amendments.

Dec. 9, 1991—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-198.**

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**S. 1568**

**July 26, 1991**

MR. BIDEN, ET AL.

To amend the Act incorporating the American Legion so as to redefine eligibility for membership therein.

July 29, 1991—Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged.

July 29, 1991—Passed the Senate.

July 31, 1991—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Oct. 3, 1991—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

Oct. 29, 1991—Ordered reported to the House.

Nov. 18, 1991—Committee discharged.

Nov. 18, 1991—Passed the House.

Dec. 2, 1991—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-179.**

**S. 1569**

**July 26, 1991**

MR. HEFLIN

To implement the recommendations of the Federal Courts Study Committee, and for other purposes. "*Federal Courts Study Committee Implementation Act of 1992*".

July 27, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (S.Rept. 102-342).

Aug. 3, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended.

Aug. 4, 1992—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Oct. 3, 1992—House Committee discharged.

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, amended (language of H.R. 5933 as passed by the House).

Oct. 7, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendment.

Oct. 29, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-572.** (See also H.R. 6185).

**S. 1623**

**Aug. 1, 1991**

MR. DECONCINI, ET AL.

To amend title 17, United States Code, to implement a royalty payment system and a serial copy management system for digital audio recording, to prohibit certain copyright infringement actions, and for other purposes. "*Audio Home Recording Act of 1991*".

Nov. 27, 1991—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (Written report filed June 9, 1992. S.Rept. 102-294).

June 17, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended.

June 24, 1992—Held at the desk in the House.

Sept. 22, 1992—Passed the House, amended (language of H.R. 3204 as passed by the House).

Oct. 7, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendment.

Oct. 28, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-563.**

**S. 1745**

**Sept. 24, 1991**

MR. DANFORTH, ET AL.

To amend the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to strengthen and improve Federal civil rights laws, to provide for damages in cases of intentional employment discrimination, to clarify provisions regarding disparate impact actions, and for other purposes. "*Civil Rights Act of 1991*".

Sept. 24, 1991—Placed on the Senate Calendar.

Oct. 25, 1991—Considered by Senate.

Oct. 30, 1991—Passed the Senate, amended. (93 yeas; 5 nays).

Nov. 6, 1991—Held at the desk in the House.

Nov. 7, 1991—Passed the House in lieu of H.R. 1. (381 yeas; 38 nays).

Nov. 13, 1991—Presented to the President.

Nov. 21, 1991—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-166.**

**S. 1963**

**Nov. 13, 1991**

MR. BIDEN, ET AL.

To amend section 992 of title 28, United States Code, to provide a member of the United States Sentencing Commission whose term has expired may continue to serve until a successor is appointed or until the expiration of the next session of Congress.

Jan. 31, 1992—Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged.

Jan. 31, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended.

Feb. 4, 1992—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

Apr. 9, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on Crime and Criminal Justice.

Apr. 30, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Aug. 10, 1992—Reported to the House. (H.Rept. 102-827).

Aug. 11, 1992—Passed the House.

Aug. 26, 1992—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-349.**

# LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**S. 1985**

**Nov. 19, 1991**

MR. HEFLIN, ET AL.

To establish a commission to review the Bankruptcy Code, to amend the Bankruptcy Code in certain aspects of its application to cases involving commerce and credit and individuals debtors and add a temporary chapter to govern reorganization of small businesses, and for other purposes.

May 7, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (S.Rept. 102-279).

June 16, 1992—Considered by the Senate.

June 17, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended. (97 yeas).

June 18, 1992—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

June 23, 1992—Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic and Commercial Law.

Oct. 3, 1992—House Committee discharged.

Oct. 3, 1992—Passed the House, amended (language of H.R. 6020 as passed by the House). (Title amended).

Oct. 7, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendments with a Senate amendment.

**S. 2201**

**Feb. 6, 1992**

MR. BROWN, ET AL.

To authorize the admission to the United States of certain scientists of the Commonwealth of Independent States and the Baltic states as employment-based immigrants under the Immigration and Nationality Act, and for other purposes. "*Commonwealth and Baltic Scientists Immigration and Exchange Act of 1992*".

Apr. 8, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (No written report).

May 20, 1992—Passed the Senate, as amended.

May 21, 1992—Referred jointly to the House Committee on the Judiciary and the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

June 24, 1992—Ordered reported to the full Committee by the Subcommittee on International Law, Immigration, and Refugees.

Aug. 6, 1992—Ordered reported to the House.

Sept. 21, 1992—Reported to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary. (H.Rept. 102-881, part 1).

Sept. 21, 1992—House Committee on Foreign Affairs discharged.

Sept. 21, 1992—Passed the House, amended. (Title amended).

Oct. 2, 1992—The Senate agreed to the House amendments.

Oct. 24, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-509.

**S. 2532**

**Apr. 7, 1992**

MR. PELL, ET AL. (BY REQUEST)

Entitled "Freedom For Russia and Emerging Eurasian Democracies and Open Markets Support Act".

June 2, 1992—Reported, amended, to the Senate by the Committee on Foreign Relations. (S.Rept. 102-292).

June 29, July 1, 1992—Considered by the Senate.

July 2, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended. (76 yeas; 20 nays).

July 21, 1992—Held at the desk in the House.

Aug. 6, 1992—Passed the House, amended [language of H.R. 4547 (reported by the Committees on Foreign Affairs, Armed Services, and Agriculture—H.Rept. 102-569, parts 1-4) as passed by the House]. (Title amended).

Aug. 11, 1992—The House requested a conference and appointed conferees (including from the Committee on the Judiciary) with instructions.

Sept. 9, 1992—The House modified the conferee appointments.

Sept. 16, 1992—The Senate agreed to a conference and appointed conferees.

Oct. 1, 1992—Conference report filed. (H.Rept. 102-964).

Oct. 1, 1992—The Senate agreed to the conference report.

Oct. 3, 1992—The House agreed to the conference report. (232 yeas; 164 nays).

Oct. 24, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-511.

**S. 2964**

**July 2, 1992**

MR. SPECTER, ET AL.

Granting the consent of the Congress to a supplemental compact or agreement between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey concerning the Delaware River Port Authority.

Aug. 12, 1992—Reported to the Senate by the Committee on the Judiciary. (No written report).

Aug. 12, 1992—Passed the Senate.

Sept. 9, 1992—Held at the desk in the House.

Oct. 6, 1992—Passed the House.

Oct. 27, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-544. (See also H.R. 5452).

**S. 3006**

**July 22, 1992**

MR. GLENN

To provide for the expeditious disclosure of records relevant to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. "*President John F. Kennedy Assassination Records Collection Act of 1992*".

July 22, 1992—Reported to the Senate as an original bill by the Committee on Governmental Affairs. (S.Rept. 102-328).

July 27, 1992—Passed the Senate, amended.

July 29, 1992—Held at the desk in the House.

Sept. 30, 1992—Passed the House in lieu of H.J.Res. 454.

Oct. 26, 1992—Approved by the President. Public Law 102-526.

## LEGISLATION HAVING MAJOR ACTION

**S.J. Res. 111**

**Mar. 22, 1991**

MR. BRADLEY, ET AL.

Marking the seventy-fifth anniversary of chartering by Act of Congress of the Boy Scouts of America.

May 22, 1991—Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged.

May 22, 1991—Passed the Senate.

May 23, 1991—Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

May 29, 1991—Referred to the Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations.

June 12, 1991—House Committee discharged.

June 12, 1991—Passed the House.

June 18, 1991—Approved by the President. **Public Law 102-60.**